



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Masaru KIHARA et al.**

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Examiner: **Raymond Alejandro**

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**For: NICKEL HYDROGEN SECONDARY BATTERY HAVING IMPROVED
HIGH-TEMPERATURE CHARGING EFFICIENCY**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 1, 2007, Applicants amend the claims as follows and submit the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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